REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON EXECUTIVE MATTERS AND LEGAL AFFAIRS

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Committee Meeting Held July 23, 2019

Honorable Ikaika Anderson Chair, City Council City and County of Honolulu

Mr. Chair:

Your Committee on Executive Matters and Legal Affairs, which considered in executive session a request by the Department of the Corporation Counsel to settle the following lawsuit against the City:

"REQUEST FOR AUTHORIZATION TO SETTLE A CASE AGAINST THE CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU ENTITLED PEER NEWS LLC, DBA CIVIL BEAT V. CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU, ET AL., CIVIL NO. SCAP-16-0000114 (HAWAII SUP. CT.),"

reports as follows:

At your July 23, 2019, Committee meeting, one individual offered comments on the executive session item. No written testimony was received.

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Your Committee, having been informed by the Department of the Corporation Counsel of the facts of the case and applicable law, finds that it is in the best interest of the City to settle the above-referenced lawsuit for the total sum of \$70,484.50, to be paid by the City. (Ayes: Anderson, Elefante, Fukunaga, Kobayashi, Manahan, Menor, Pine, Tsuneyoshi, Waters – 9; Noes: None.)

Respectfully submitted,

Committee Chair

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